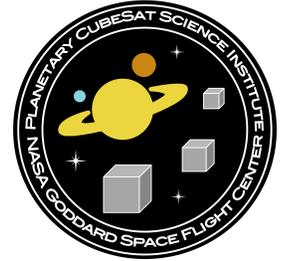
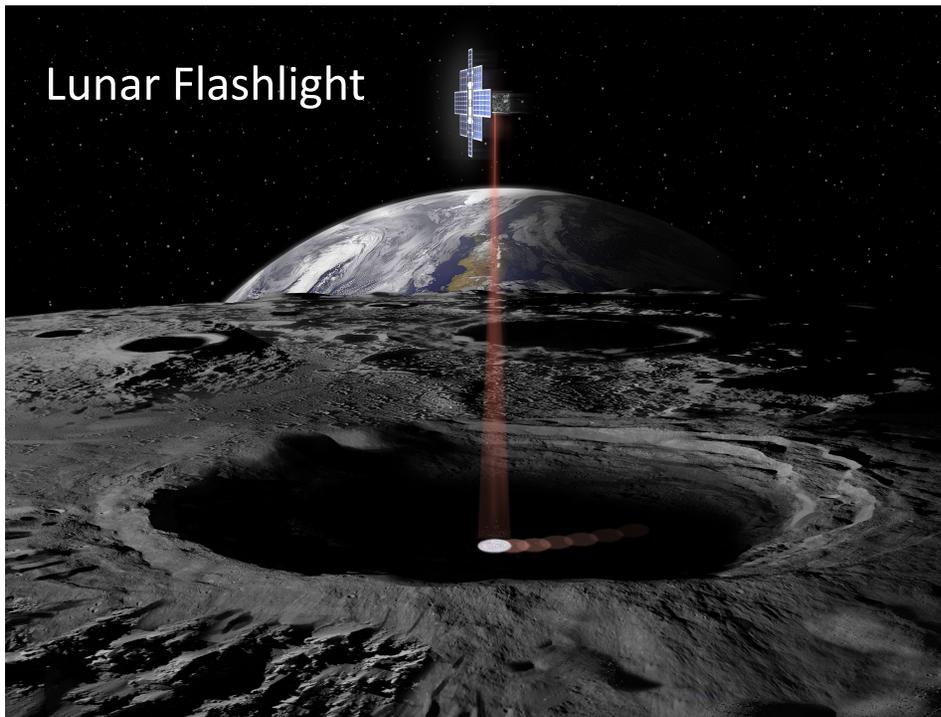


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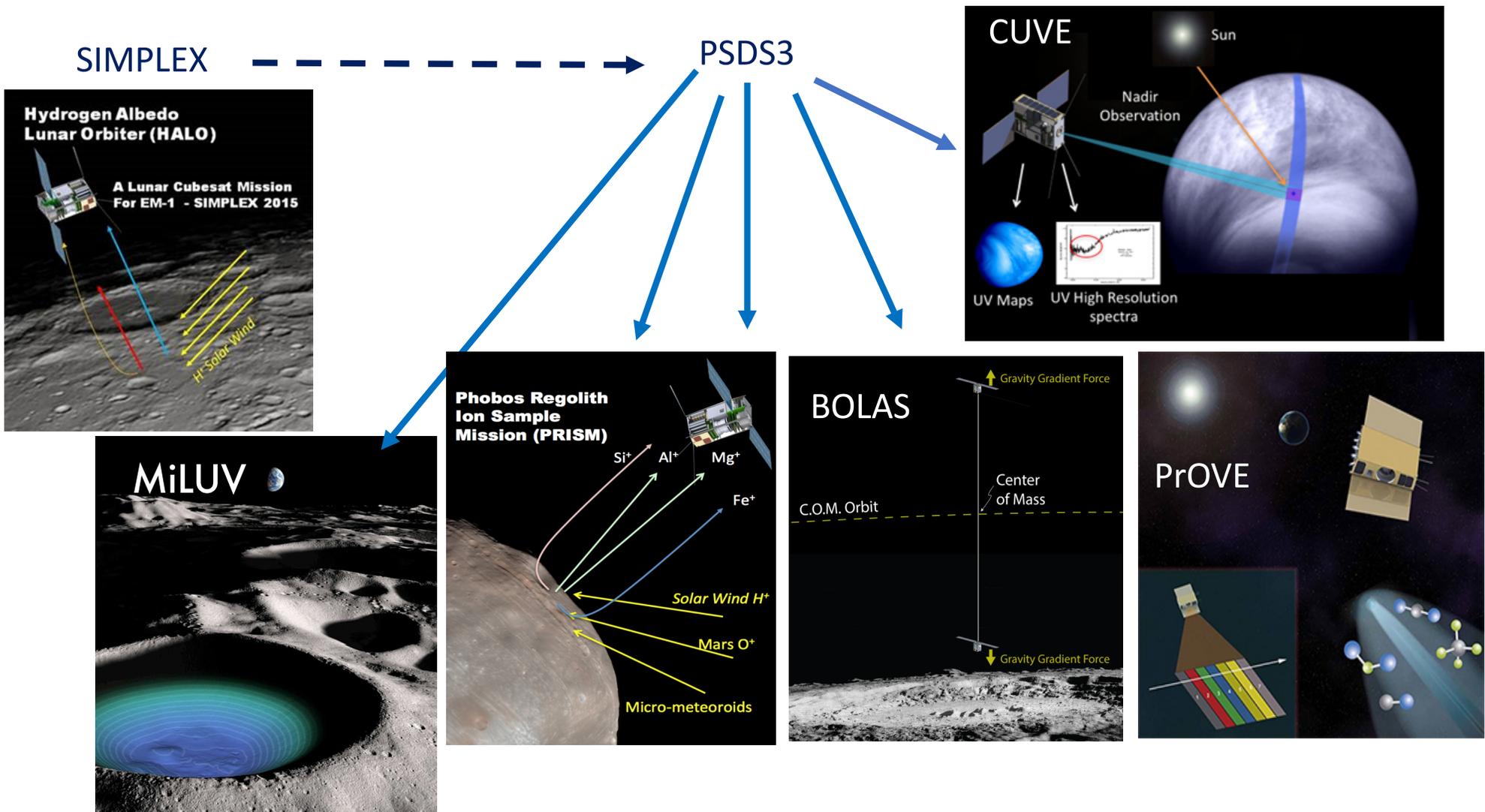


- The Goddard Planetary CubeSat Science Institute (PCSI) is an initiative of the Solar System Exploration Division to partner across Goddard and externally to develop, propose and fly CubeSat planetary missions.
- Themes include: science concept development; hardware development of subsystems, buses, propulsion, instruments and operations.
- Expecting increased opportunities for CubeSat exploration of the Solar System going forward, to cut cost for science and increase participation.

Selected Planetary CubeSat Hardware Solar System Exploration Division



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Its objectives are to be a forum for :

- Presenting and discussing planetary science questions that can be addressed via SmallSats/CubeSats (including level 1 science)
- Sharing lessons learned from previous SmallSat/CubeSat missions
- Presenting the latest mission concepts
- Identifying technical challenges and ways to address them
- Fostering collaboration with other NASA Centers, JPL, APL, universities, the private sector and international partners (ESA, JAXA, ISRO and universities).